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Subject: Lobbyist ethics course (INQ 13-166)

Mr. Menachem,

Because you registered to lobby in Miami-Dade County in March 2013, you are required to take the lobbyist ethics course within 60 days of registration. *See County Code at Sec. 2-11.1 (s)(2)(d).*

If you have taken the City of Miami lobbyist ethics course recently, you may obtain a waiver of the County requirement.

Thank you for applying an abundance of caution in registering with the County. One benefit is that once you've taken the County's lobbyist ethics course, you will not have to take a refresher for another two years.

Sincerely,

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From: Fred Menachem [<mailto:derfmenachem@gmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, July 08, 2013 11:39 AM
To: Sanchez, Rodzandra (COE)
Subject:

I hope all is well. I received an email about taking an ethics class pursuant to a lobbyist registration back in March. I did register as I wanted to speak to the Mayor's office about potential outsourcing opportunities that might be available in Miami-Dade County. There was no specific issue that was pending with the commission and I was never paid for any work. I did do it as a courtesy although I do not believe I was required or that it was necessary to do so and nothing has come of the issue.

In the meantime, I am happy to take the course if it is necessary to be registered as a lobbyist if future issues do avail themselves. Let me know! Thank you so much!!

Fred

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